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### ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

CONSOLIDATED PACIFIC MINING COMPANY.  
Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 13th day of March, 1880, an assessment (No. 1) of One Dollar per share, was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in lawful money of the United States, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, 333 Pine Street, Room 3, San Francisco, California. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 15th day of April, 1880, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction; and unless payment is made before such sale, the stock shall be sold to satisfy the assessment, together with costs of advertising and expense of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

P. E. LUTY, Secretary.  
Office—No. 333 Pine Street, Room 3, San Francisco, California. mh1-11

### MISCELLANEOUS.

Survey of the Town-Site of Bodie.  
BRIDGEPORT, CAL.

WHEREAS, THE CONTRACT FOR THE survey of the town-site of the town of Bodie, Mono County, California, having been duly awarded to L. D. SCOWDEN, he being the lowest bidder therefor;  
Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given that the survey of said town-site in the manner as provided for in Paragraph 12 of the Statutes and Codes of the State of California, will commence on Monday, the 28th day of March, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and will continue four days to day, Sundays excepted, until said survey shall be fully completed. Of what survey, and the time of the commencement thereof, property owners and all others interested in said town-site, will take due notice.

R. M. BRIGGS, Superior Judge Mono County, Cal. mh1-11

### Knights of Pythias.

Meetings of the Association will be held every Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Eugene House. All brothers are invited to attend.  
H. WARD, Secretary. S. W. POWELL, Chairman. mh1-11

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### SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, ISSUED out of the Superior Court in and for the County of Mono, State of California, dated the 12th day of March, 1880, in a certain action wherein S. S. HUNTER as Plaintiff, recovered judgment against the Magma Gold and Silver Mining Company, at Defendants, on the 10th day of April, 1880, I have levied upon the following described real property, to wit: All the right, title and interest of the Magma Gold & Silver Mining Company in and to the Magma Gold & Silver Mine, situated in Bodie Mining District, Mono County, California, lying and being situated on the north-westerly slope of Silver Hill (boundaries unknown) said mine consists of fifteen hundred feet along the line of the ledge, lead or lode, more or less, and with fifty feet on either side of the ledge, lead or lode, more or less, for working purposes, together with the appurtenances and improvements thereto belonging.

Notice is hereby given that on

TUESDAY, the 4th Day of MAY 1880, at 1 o'clock P. M. of that day, in Bridgeport, County of Mono, State of California, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said Magma Gold and Silver Mining Company in and to the above described property at public auction for cash, in U. S. gold coin to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said Execution and all costs.

Dated at Bodie, Cal. the 10th day of April, 1880.

P. M. TAYLOR, Sheriff.

By J. M. WARD, Deputy Sheriff. mh1-11

### Notice to Property Owners.

THE OWNERS OF LOTS IN BODIE ARE earnestly requested to furnish the assessor with the names of the owners of the lots in order to expedite the survey of the town-site of the town of Bodie.

L. A. SCOWDEN, U. S. Deputy Surveyor. mh1-11

### NORTHWESTERN MASONIC

Aid Association

WHILE SO MUCH IS BEING SAID AND written regarding the insurance, it is well to keep the claims of the above association before the public. This society is organized for the purpose of affording mutual protection to the families of deceased Masons. It is founded upon a firm basis and its rate are very low. For further information apply to

T. M. GLAVIN, Agent.

Dr. Deal, Examining Surgeon. mh1-11

## Queen Victoria's Influence.

During the most critical period of the rebellion, Thurlow Weed was sent to England to counteract certain powerful influences injurious to the North. He arrived there when the war sentiment against the North was at its culminating point, on account of the Trent affair. On the day of departure from New York a gentleman put into Mr. Weed's hands a letter of introduction to a Mr. William Arthur, of London, remarking that he had better present it as soon as possible after his arrival. He did so, little aware of its importance. Mr. Arthur received him heartily. Said he,—"There is no time to be lost. The feeling against the North among those in authority is very bitter. You must see Lord John Russell immediately."

"But how?" asked Mr. Weed. "I can only expect an audience with him in a few days at the soonest."

"You must see him now—right away! No formalities. Cut the tape out the tape."

The tape was cut somehow.

"You will go to Lord John's country-seat to-morrow," said Mr. Arthur to Mr. Weed, "where you will be expected."

Mr. Weed did go and found himself expected. For half an hour the interview with Lord John touching political complications was a stormy one. Mr. Weed, however, succeeded to some extent in modifying the earl's wrath on account of the recent insult to the British flag. Lunch was announced. Here Lady Russell appears on the scene. After lunch a walk was proposed about the grounds. Lady Russell managed to exchange a few words with Mr. Weed.

"I am aware," said her Ladyship, "of your solicitude in this matter, and if it is any satisfaction to you, I can assure you that Her Majesty's sympathies are with the North."

Afterward the following facts became known to Mr. Weed, evidencing the sympathy of the queen. A dispatch had been prepared by the ministry, demanding of the United States Government an unconditional apology for the capture of Mason and Sidel. It was sent to the queen for her signature. On reading it she remarked,—"Is not the wording of this document harsh?"

She referred it to Prince Albert. The prince was of that opinion. He modified the wording of the dispatch so that its arbitrary character was modified, and its tone became that of conciliation. This change was one of vital importance to the then critical fortunes of the North.

### The "Baby Plant."

When the poet wrote:

"A low-drop on the baby plant,  
Has warped the giant oak forever,"

he did not mean that his little adjective should help make a compound noun. Probably he was not aware that the vegetable kingdom contained anything that looked like a real baby. According to the Portland (Oregon) Standard, however, such a phenomenon has been found. The paper says:

No curiosity exhibited in this city for years has attracted such general attention as that wonderful plant at Shanahan's art gallery. Fully three thousand people have visited the place to look upon the botanical wonder.

It is said to be indigenous to Japan. Its technical term has not been ascertained, but it is known, and appropriately so, as the "Baby Plant."

It is of the genus Lily, sometimes attaining the height of four feet and blossoming semi-annually. The one of which we write is, however, not more than twelve inches in height, with leaves about six inches long and two inches wide.

The flower is star-shaped, having five petals of handsome brown and yellow color. The calyx encircles and protects a tiny little figure that bears an exact resemblance to a nude baby, its little arms and legs outstretched and the eyes distinctly marked.

Hovering over the diminutive form is a small canopy, angel-shaped, having extended arms and wings, and peering closely into the face of the infant. The family of plants of which the "baby" is a member produce not only the specimen on exhibition, but also give perfect imitation, if such they can be designated, of different animals, insects and birds. Mrs. Mark Hopkins, of San Francisco, has one of the latter varieties, for which \$300 was paid.

A well-known Senator is noted for taking two cocktails in succession before breakfast. One morning, while the Senator was practicing at the metropolitan bar, a friend put to him the pertinent question: "Senator, why do you take your cocktails as a custom? Won't one lone you?" The Senator drew himself up: "I will tell you why I take two cocktails. When I take one it makes me feel like another man. Well, you see, I'm found by common courtesy to treat that man, so I take the second."

An eminent British physician recently publicly stated his belief that death from drowning under ice is one of the most rapid of deaths, and is completed, he believes, with so quick an extinction of consciousness as to be actually painless.

"Insult," says a modern philosopher "are like counterfeit money. We cannot under their being offered, but we are not compelled to take them."

## Sleep.

Leigh Hunt is said to have perpetrated a very bad pun connected with the dormitory, and which made Charles Lamb laugh immoderately. Going home together one night, the latter repeated the well-known proverb, "A home's a home, however homely." "Aye," added Hunt, "and a bed's a bed, however beddy." It is a strange thing, a bed. Somebody has called it a bundle of paradoxes; we get to it reluctantly, and leave it with regret. Once within the downy precincts of the four posts, how loth we are to make our entrance into the wilderness of life. We are as enamored of our curtained dwelling as if it were the Land of Goshen or the cave of Circe. And how many faraway thoughts those dumb posts heard whispering every fresh parjurer rising to join its crowd of hovering fellows, each morning weighing heavier and heavier, on our slumbering eyelids. A caustic proverb says we are all "good risers at night," but woe's me for our aptitude in the morning. It is a falling of our species, ever ready to break out in all of us, and in some only vanquished after a struggle painful as the sundering of a bone and marrow. The Great Frederick of Prussia found it easier in after life, to rout the French and Austrians, than in youth to resist the seductions of sleep. After many single-handed attempts at reformation, he had at last to call to his assistance an old domestic, whom he charged, on pain of dismissal, to pull him out of bed every morning at two o'clock. The plan succeeded, as it deserved to succeed. All men of action are impressed with the importance of early rising. "When you begin to turn in bed, it's time to turn out," says the old Deane, and we believe his practice has been in accordance with his precept. Literary men—among whom, as Bulwer says, "a certain indolence seems almost constitutional"—are not so clear upon this point; they are divided between night and morning, though the best authorities seem in favor of the latter. Early rising is the best elixir vitae; it is the only lengthener of life that man has ever devised. By its aid the great Edison was able to spend half a century on ordinary lifetime—at his desk; and yet had time to be the most mopish of all the philosophers who then graced the gay metropolis of France.

It is a singular fact that animals will eat straw that has lain in a stack two years in preference to fresh straw, or that which has been stacked but one year. We have seen horses and cows having a range of two straw stacks, one old and the other new, leave the latter and feed exclusively on the former. This indicates that straw can be kept several years without deteriorating in value as feed. The argument in favor of a careful saving of straw to be used on the occurrence of a dry season, when feed is everywhere scarce and pasturage dry, is obvious.

Like the generality of kings and conquerors, Frederick the Great had philosophic indifference to the death of others. In one of his battles a battalion of veterans having taken to their heels, he galloped after them, bawling out:

"Why do you run away, you old blackguards? Do you want to live forever?"

A boy in Detroit has killed sixty-seven of his neighbors' cats to get money to buy his mother a set of false teeth. He has made a quiet neighborhood where once was a howling wilderness.

The great Chinese wall, built twenty centuries ago to resist the Mongol incursions, still serves as a fortification thirty three hundred miles long.

A French philosopher declares that much more depends on how a woman wears her dress than on what it is made of, and on how a man talks than on what he says.

It has been ascertained that the heart of an ox beats seventy-eight times a minute. If anybody wants to do anything about it, now's their time.

Do not use water pails that have been painted on the inside. It is dangerous to health.

It is the fashion now, among Italian grayhounds, and other pet dogs, to wear ties.

Be content with a legitimate business, and let speculation alone, and in the end you will be the richer man.

If your daughter has a pain in her face, apply something warm—with a monotone on it.

The latest Southern amusement is "hot flying." A huge kite is fastened to a boat, and drags it through the water.

He has the largest life who lives longest in the hearts of the largest number of people.

You have not fulfilled every duty unless you have fulfilled that of being pleasant.

Sulphur comes from Vesuvius therefore it is good for eruptions.

An open mind, an open hand, and an open heart will find everywhere an open door.

Women are like nopes—the gayer the harness they have on the better they feel.

By other's faults wise men correct their own.



# THE CHRONICLE.

BODIE, APRIL 13, 1890.

**SAN FRANCISCO AGENCY.**—L. P. Fisher, 21 Merchants' Exchange, is our Agent, and is authorized to contract for advertising, receive subscriptions and make collections on our account.

## LEGISLATIVE.

The following bills have passed the Senate:

For the further protection of stockholders in mining companies.

Relating to interest on deferred payments on State lands.

Providing for the payment of the salaries and expenses of the Board of Equalization.

Amending the Mutual Insurance Companies law.

Senate bill No. 284, to protect the public health from infectious diseases caused by vaccination.

Senate bill No. 123, amending Section 1281 of the Political Code.

Relating to affidavits of applicants to purchase portions of 16th and 36th sections.

Relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors to drunks and Indians.

To provide for the future management of the Insane Asylum of the State.

Senate bill 483, for the better preservation of fish by providing and maintaining fish screens at the heads of mining and irrigating ditches.

Senate bill 483, to amend section 628 of the Penal Code, relating to the destruction of deer.

Senate bill 185, to amend sections 4215 and 4216 of the Political Code, relating to the duties of Auditors.

Senate bill 578, to add a new section to the Political Code, providing for the redemption of county bonds in certain cases.

The following bills have passed the Assembly:

Relating to public buildings and roads in several counties of the State.

Assembly bill No. 588, to amend Section 456 of the Civil Code, relative to debts of railroad corporations and securities thereof and sales of property of said corporations.

An Insolvency bill.

For the formation of district agricultural societies.

For the management of the State Agricultural Society.

**Holidays.**—The Sacramento Bee of the 13th says that Memorial Day, May 20, has been declared a holiday by the California Legislature and the bill has been approved by the Governor, so that it is now the law of the land. The legal holidays now are: January 1st, February 22nd, May 30th, July 4th, December 25th, and every day on which an election is held throughout the State, and every day appointed by the President of the United States or by the Governor of this State, a Thanksgiving day, or public fast day, so that aside from Sundays there are sure to be six holidays in each year and seven in every election year.

September 9th, Admission Day—should also be a legal holiday. We have too few holidays, any way.

**A NATIONAL MINING BUREAU.**—Warner of Ohio has introduced a bill in the House providing for the establishment of a Bureau of Mines and Mining in the Interior Department to operate in connection with the Geological Survey. The purpose is to collect information bearing upon mineral lands and mining operations, to be reported to Congress annually. The Chief of the Bureau shall be appointed by the President, subject to confirmation, and shall have assistants and clerks, all of whom shall be skilled in mineralogy, and two, at least, experts in mining matters.

It is only a few days since Governor Howard of Dakota, died, yet the scramble for the Governorship has already set in. The Dakota people ask for a delay in appointing, to enable the President to hear from them.

The town of Alturas, Modoc county, was recently left entirely without coal oil and candles. Pine knots were in demand to prevent the people from being plunged in total darkness. What a time for lovers that must have been!

In Rebo county, Nevada, a man named Harris has discovered an excellent well of saline water. Out of a gallon of water which was boiled down, he extracted over three pounds of fine salt.

The Produce Exchange of New York, received on Monday from California, specimens of the so-called pampas rice, recently brought into notice by the Kansas Board of Agriculture.

The American Mining Exchange was organized at New York City on Monday, with 123 members; George W. Smiley, Chairman, and E. D. Barnes, Secretary.

The Governor has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the murderers of C. P. Sovereign in Marin county.

Breakhart's bill to cripple the selling of Mining Stock has been beaten in the Senate.

Ice-boats are now used on the Siskieyou river, British Columbia, for transporting freight.

The Supreme Court convened at Los Angeles on the 13th.

The wool clip last of the Cascades, Oregon, will be at least 5,000,000 pounds.

Tilden has not withdrawn as a candidate for the Presidency.

S. A. Gossamer and L. C. Branch have opened a law office in Modesto.

## Typographical Union.

It is rumored on the streets that there will probably be an exodus of printers from the offices of our contemporaries within a short time. This is the result of high wages here, 65 cents per 1000 lines, comparatively low at San Francisco—45 cents. That the publishers in Bodie have been gravely afflicted in this respect they are free to admit, but how to remedy the evil has been a problem, which is likely to be solved. For some time past a quiet movement has been pushed by publishers in San Francisco to effect a reduction in the cost of type setting. The Post commenced; then the Bulletin, and now follows the Chronicle with a crushing blow. The De Youngs notified their compositors that after a certain date a reduction of five cents per 1000 lines would be in order, and that if cents only would be paid. This the "Union" refused to submit to, and all its members, except eight, retired from their employment. This is the third time that the combination of printers has been broken. Had their rates been below living rates, they could have justly complained; but no class of mechanics earn such wages as printers do. That San Francisco will be flooded with idle "Union" printers, is a foregone conclusion, and it is natural that they should look outside for employment. We are not informed which of our contemporaries has taken the department we alluded to, but we see a lively fight on hand. It may be they cannot shake off the high-priced compositors, but if they can, the wages of compositors will tumble to 50 cents per thousand.

**THE FIJI ISLANDS.**—The U. S. Consul Agent at the Fiji Islands, in his dispatch to the Department of State, dated December 9th, 1879 reports a variety of facts relating to the commerce of those islands. The largest island is about ninety miles long and sixty wide, with two splendid rivers. More than 1500 acres of sugar are planted on the banks of these rivers. The mills are not sufficient for the grinding of all the sugar cane produced, although some of them turn out over 300 tons per annum. There are fine large coffee estates on this island, which yield large profits to their owners. Cotton is doing finely on some of the islands. Peanuts grow thrifty—exceeding in quantity the means of exportation. The chief article of export is copra (most of coconut dried). It always finds a ready market in England and Germany. The sent of Government will soon be removed from Levuka to Pitt Leon.

**WHAT NEXT.**—Delegate Downey of Wyoming introduced a bill appropriating \$500,000 for the purpose of having a suitable painting of the life and death of Jesus Christ placed on the walls of the Capitol.

On the 3d inst. the Yreka Union, ceased publication, aged 29 years. It was Democratic.

## NEW TO-DAY.

## GRAND CONCERT,

Tendered the Pacific Coast Pioneers.

BY THE BODIE MINSTRELS.

For the Benefit of

HON. R. D. FERGUSON,

AT

MINERS' UNION HALL.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 22.

TICKETS.....ONE DOLLAR

## I. O. O. F.

Sixty-First Anniversary.

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1890.

EXERCISES OF THE DAY.

Oration, Poem, Singing, Music and Procession, concluding with a

GRAND BALL

IN THE EVENING.

AT

MINERS' UNION HALL.

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All members of the Order.

FLOOR DIRECTOR.

C. W. Foster.

FLOOR MANAGERS.

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F. F. Winard, Harvey Boone, C. M. Stevens, George L. Putnam, F. Lobdell, W. W. Springstead, John J. Curry.

All Old Fellows in good standing, and also, friends of the Order, are requested to join in the procession.

TICKETS for the BALL, 25 Cts.

To be procured only from the Committee of Arrangements.

MUSIC BY BERLINER'S BAND.

Brothers intending to participate in the Celebration are requested to meet at their Lodge-room at 12 o'clock, sharp.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

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### BODIE BANK

CAPITAL, \$50,000.

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PRESIDENT, W. M. IRWIN, G. H. GILSON, VICE PRESIDENT, J. M. DAWLEY, F. H. HESSEL, W. H. POPE, Cashier, W. H. POPE.

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# THE CHRONICLE.

BODIE, APRIL 15, 1880.

The Chronicle Office is on the second floor of "Gordon's Building," east side Main street, between Standard Avenue and Green street.

JOE PAINTER.—Job printing of the finest description will be furnished at this office at Sacramento prices.

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

**ARRIVALS TO-DAY.**  
Owen Hickey, W. H. Young, H. Farham, M. Hinchman, John Dwyer, T. McGinnis, W. A. Benham, M. Selon.

**DEPARTURES TO-DAY.**  
J. H. Page, J. S. Wood, Mrs. T. Rynders, Mr. French, Mr. Sturges.

**Sever Meeting.**  
An adjourned meeting of citizens was held last night at Justice Peterson's office to consider the sewerage question. H. F. Hastings, of the Mono Bank, called the meeting to order, and suggested the election of permanent officers.

M. F. Wolf was elected President and H. Z. Osborne, Secretary.

Mr. Hastings informed the meeting that a dispatch from Assemblyman Wasson gave no hopes of the passage of an incorporation bill for the government of this city.

To obtain the feelings of those present on the sewer question Mr. Lather moved that a sewer through Main Street was a necessity. The motion was adopted. A draft of a sewer, to be V shaped and lined with plank, and to be 20 inches deep, was exhibited by Mr. Coddington, who estimates the cost at not over \$2 a foot. C. F. Reuger, the Surveyor, volunteered his services to do the surveying, which offer was accepted.

Messrs Reuger, Coddington and Frankingberger, were appointed a committee to investigate the subject and report.

Deputy Sheriff Massey suggested that the road tax paid by Bodie might be utilized for sewer building, and Harvey Boone, who went to Bridgeport to-day, was appointed a Committee to see what could be done in the matter. After thanking Judge Peterson for the use of his Court room, the meeting adjourned till Monday evening next, at the same hour and place.

It now looks as though we would have some system of sewerage for Main street, and that at no distant day.

**LADIES' SOCIAL.**—Remember the social to be given this evening at Miners' Union Hall, by the Ladies' Relief Society, for the benefit of Hon. R. D. Ferguson. Our citizens are fully aware of the terrible siege Mr. Ferguson has passed through, and we trust they will respond liberally to this appeal of the ladies on behalf of an old Pioneer, a good citizen and estimable gentleman.

**BENEFIT CONCERT.**—The Bodie Minstrels will give a performance on Thursday, the 23d of April, tendered to the Pacific Coast Pioneers of this city for the benefit of Hon. R. D. Ferguson, who has been confined to his bed many months by a prolonged illness. See advertisement in another column.

**FINE CONFECTIONARY.**—Mrs. Swan has opened a confectionery store in Abbot's building on Main street between Standard Avenue and Mill street. She intends to keep a fresh supply at all times at reasonable prices.

**JUST RECEIVED.**—Choice, Creamy Butter, rolls, from one of the best California dairies at Point Reyes. For sale by Page, Wheaton & Co., dealer in choice family groceries.

**FRIGHT.**—A number of freight teams came in this morning from Carson. We hear of a number of freight teams that will soon be put on the road for the Spring freight "boom."

**BOONE GOES ON.**—H. H. Moody has forwarded his bonds, as Postmaster at Lundy, to the Department at Washington. So the Lundy folks will have a Post office before long.

**SENTENCED.**—Yesterday afternoon Justice Newman fined W. Wee, for selling liquor to Indians \$150 or 150 days in jail. He went to jail.

**QUIET.**—Everything is quiet in police circles to-day.

At a large dinner, given a short time since in New York, the names of the guests designating their places at the table, were printed on rubber balloons, which were floated over the table, being fastened to long strings, one to the stem of each person's goblet.

Henry C. Henderson, of Chicago, an unfortunate Board of Trade operator, who was to have been sent to the insane asylum yesterday, jumped from the fifth story of the Woodruff House and was instantly killed by the fall.

A large stationary engine has been taken from the railroad shops, Sacramento, to the building at Sixth and L streets, to be used in the School of Technology which will soon be established there.

The Fifteen Freeholders elected in San Francisco to frame a City charter, have organized and proceeded to the business for which they were elected.

And Oakland is happy, at last. The Democratic State Convention, to elect delegates to the National Convention, is to be held in that city on May 19th!

To-morrow, a Legislature which has been a disgrace to the State adjourns. Thank God, the evil can only last sixty days.

## Political Conventions.

Calls have been issued for National and State political conventions at the times here mentioned:

- April 12—Louisiana Democratic.
- April 14th—Kentucky Republican, Iowa Republican, Missouri Republican.
- April 15th—Massachusetts Republican.
- April 20th—Texas Democratic.
- April 21st—Virginia Republican, Georgia Republican, Oregon Republican.
- April 28th—Ohio Republican, South Carolina Republican, Arkansas Republican, Pennsylvania Democratic, Connecticut Democratic.
- April 29th—California Republican, New York Democratic.
- May 5th—Tennessee Republican, Wisconsin Republican, Mississippi Republican, North Carolina Greenback.
- May 6th—New Jersey Republican, New Hampshire Republican, Maryland Republican, Ohio Democratic.
- May 8th—New Hampshire Democratic.
- May 10th—Nebraska Republican.
- May 11th—Nevada Republican.
- May 12th—West Virginia Republican, Michigan Republican, Wisconsin Democratic, Florida Republican.
- May 19th—Illinois Republican, Virginia Conservative, New Jersey Democratic.
- May 20th—Alabama Republican, Missouri Democratic.
- May 26th—Kansas Democratic.
- June 1st—South Carolina Democratic.
- June 2d—Republican National, in Chicago; Alabama Democratic, Mississippi Democratic, Arkansas Democratic.
- June 3d—Workingmen's National Convention in Chicago.
- June 8th—Tennessee Democratic, Michigan Democratic, Mississippi Democratic.
- June 9th—National Greenback Labor, Indiana Democratic.
- June 10th—Florida Democratic.
- June 17th—National Prohibition, Columbus, Ohio; Indiana Republican (State officers) North Carolina Democratic, Kentucky Democratic.
- June 22—Democratic National.

**EARTHQUAKE.**—This morning's News has the following account of an earthquake: Yesterday, about one o'clock, a severe shock of earthquake shook up the inhabitants of San Francisco. The earthquake is said to have lasted between 3 and 4 seconds and the undulations to have been from west to east. No damage of consequence is reported; the people, though, were badly frightened. Massive structures, like the Stock Exchange, Nevada Bank, Safe Deposit building, etc., to an alarmed spectator looked like reeds before the wind. At the wharves the scene was terrific. The waves rose several feet; vessels of the largest tonnage almost broke from their moorings; the ferry boats bobbed up and down like corks.

**NEVER SATISFIED.**—"Distance, lends enchantment to the view," etc. The Sacramento Bee says: "The Southern Pacific Railway having penetrated the rich mining Territory of Arizona to a point beyond Tucson, with the assurance that it will be pushed steadily to tide water upon the Atlantic, many Californians—professional men, speculators, mechanics and others, are picking up their traps and winding their way in that direction; and there, it is expected by some enthusiasts, several mining belts, each richer than the Comstock, may soon be developed."

At the San Jose elections on Tuesday last, 1987 votes were polled. B. D. Murphy, Democrat and Workingman, was elected Mayor by about 400 majority. J. A. Lotz, Republican, City Treasurer, has been re-elected, and W. O. Bicyfoghe, Republican, Street Commissioner, has been re-elected. The offices of Councilmen and School Trustees are about equally divided among the Republicans and Democrats.

A large emigration from Kentucky is going into Indiana. This helps the North and hurts the South when the census is taken.

Up to this time 400 constitencies in Great Britain have been heard from, which have returned 338 Liberals, 230 Conservatives, and 52 Home Rulers.

Collections of internal revenue in San Francisco during the past week amounted to \$39,187 31, making a total since January 1st of \$718,215 63.

It is proposed to convert the Lick House dining-room San Francisco, now closed, into a hall for the use of Balls, parties and meetings.

The St. Helena Star is inclined to adopt wrapping paper for spring wear, or until the price of white paper is reduced.

In Nevada there are twenty-nine newspapers—sixteen dailies, two semi-weeklies, ten weeklies and one monthly.

The whole vast valley of the Red River of the North is being sown broadcast with towns and farm houses.

On Monday last several towns in Southern California were shaken by earthquakes.

George Gaunce, one of the Mendocino outlaws has been sentenced to death.

Raisin grapes are being planted at San Pasqual, San Diego county.

The Alvarado Sugarie works up sixty tons of beets daily. They employ 100 men.

The Workmen have been defeated at the recent election in Santa Cruz.

It is estimated that there are 500,000 Canadians in the United States.

It is said that the average temperature in country of 98,000,000 pounds per annum.

On Monday last an unknown man was struck by a locomotive near Niles, and instantly killed.

A rich silver District has been discovered in Santa Catarina mountains, thirty miles northeast of Tucson.

No Stock Report.—The wires being down we are without our usual report.

Senator Grover, of Oregon, is seriously ill at Wilmington, Del., with paralysis.

Reno is to have a national bank.

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Furniture, Bedding, Carpets, Wall Paper, Crockery, etc.  
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Orders from the country promptly attended to.

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Dated March 28, 1880.

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